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sbn\_change\_dir

Change the upstream/downstream direction of an SBN

#### Description

Change the upstream/downstream direction of an SBN to either, reversed or undirected.

## Usage

```
sbn_change_dir(g, method = c("rev", "undir"))
```

## Arguments

g a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

method one of "rev" or "undir", determining what to convert the network to.

#### Value

A river network as an igraph object.

## **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_change_dir(g, method = "rev")</pre>
```

sbn\_create

Create SBNs

### **Description**

An SBN river network as a downstream directed igraph object.

## Usage

```
sbn_create(n, p)
```

#### **Arguments**

n desired number of nodes.

p branching probability, from 0 - 1. Passed to stats::rbinom(), the probability of success in two attempts at adding upstream branches.

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#### **Details**

SBNs are generated using a stochastic branching process. The network generation process starts from an initial downstream node (the river mouth). At each iteration a random node in the network, with no upstream connections is selected, and zero, one or two nodes are added upstream of it, depending on a branching probability (p). This process is repeated until a pre-determined number of nodes across the entire network is attained (n).

#### Value

A river network as an igraph object.

#### **Examples**

```
sbn_create(10, 0.7)
```

sbn\_down\_dir

Convert to a downstream directed network

#### **Description**

Convert an upstream directed or non-directed network to a downstream directed network.

#### Usage

```
sbn_down_dir(g, mouth)
```

#### **Arguments**

g a river network as an igraph object.

mouth river mouth vertex id.

#### Value

A downstream directed network.

#### **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
# to undirected
g <- sbn_change_dir(g, method = "undir")
# undirected to downstream directed
sbn_down_dir(g, mouth = 1)</pre>
```

sbn\_get\_hw

sbn\_get\_downstream

Find all downstream nodes

## Description

Find all nodes downstream of a given node.

## Usage

```
sbn_get_downstream(g, node)
```

#### **Arguments**

g

a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

node

target node to get all downstream nodes of.

#### Value

a vector of downstream node id's.

## **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_get_downstream(g, 10)</pre>
```

sbn\_get\_hw

Find all headwater nodes

## Description

Find all headwater nodes in a network.

#### Usage

```
sbn_get_hw(g)
```

## Arguments

g a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

#### Value

A vector of headwater node id's.

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### **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_get_hw(g)</pre>
```

sbn\_get\_outlet

Find river mouth node

## Description

Find river mouth node from a directed graph.

## Usage

```
sbn_get_outlet(g)
```

#### **Arguments**

g

a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

#### Value

An integer identifying the id of river mouth node.

#### **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_get_outlet(g)</pre>
```

sbn\_get\_upstream

Find all nodes upstream of a given node

## **Description**

Find all nodes upstream of a given node.

#### Usage

```
sbn_get_upstream(g, node)
```

## Arguments

g a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

node target node to get all upstream nodes of.

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#### Value

A vector of upstream node id's.

#### **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_get_upstream(g, 2)</pre>
```

sbn\_strahler

Get node strahler order

## Description

Calculate the reach (node) Strahler for all nodes in a river network. The function will not work if any of the nodes in the network have more than two adjacent upstream reaches (e.g. some networks generated by the OCNet package).

## Usage

```
sbn_strahler(g)
```

#### **Arguments**

g

a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

#### Value

a vector of stream Strahler orders.

## **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_strahler(g)</pre>
```

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sbn\_to\_mtx

Convert network to various adjacency/distance matrix formats

#### Description

Convert a downstream directed SBN to various adjacency or distance matrix formats.

#### Usage

```
sbn_to_mtx(
   g,
   method = c("dwn_mtx", "undir_mtx", "up_mtx", "n2n_dist_up", "n2n_dist_dwn",
        "n2n_dist_undir"),
   unconnected = Inf,
   weights = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

g a river network as an igraph object. Must be a downstream directed graph.

method one of "dwn\_mtx", an adjacency matrix for a downstream directed SBN, "up\_mtx",

an adjacency matrix for a upstream directed SBN, "undir\_mtx", an adjacency matrix for a undirected SBN, "n2n\_dist\_up", "n2n\_dist\_dwn" or "n2n\_dist\_undir", an adjacency matrix of upstream, downstream or undirected node to node dis-

tances.

unconnected when generating node-to-node distance matrices, what value should be used

for unconnected elements. For example, in a downstream directed network, all upstream links are considered unconnected. Default value is Inf but other

options are possible, such as NA or 0.

weights passed to igraph::shortest.paths(). Possibly a numeric vector giving edge

weights. If this is NULL and the graph has a weight edge attribute, then the attribute is used. If this is NA then no weights are used (even if the graph has a

weight attribute).

#### Value

An adjacency or distance matrix.

#### **Examples**

```
g <- sbn_create(10, 0.7)
sbn_to_mtx(g, method = "dwn_mtx")</pre>
```

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